Attorney Docket No. 2405.0190-00

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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loost VAN NEERVEN	) Group Art Unit: 1641
Application No.: 09/467,901	) Examiner: Pensee T. Do
Filed: December 21, 1999	) Confirmation No.: 2936
For: A METHOD OF DETECTING AND/OR QUANTIFYING A SPECIFIC IGE ANTIBODY IN A LIQUID SAMPLE	) ) ) )

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of July 7, 2009. A fee of \$130.00 is filed herewith.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: November 6, 2009

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